



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 6297**
Hirotugu KAWADA et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2001_0920A
Serial No. 09/893,504 : Group Art Unit 2136
Filed June 29, 2001 : Examiner Eleni A. Shiferaw

RECORDING METHOD AND
APPARATUS, OPTICAL DISK,
AND COMPUTER-READABLE
STORAGE MEDIUM : **Mail Stop: AF**

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of January 18, 2006, the period for response having been extended by two months to June 18, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows: